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Applicant is advised that the petition, filed July 26, 2005, to the Office to accept color photographs under 37 CFR 1.84(a)(2) and (b)(2) had been granted by the Examiner. Accordingly, the amendment to the specification and the color photograph of figures 6 and 7 will be entered.

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